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Chair California Energy Commission Robert Weisenmiller

Dear Chair California Energy Commission Weisenmiller,

I support the petition submitted on June 5, 2013 by the Sierra Club, American Lung Association in California and other parties requesting that the California Energy Commission (CEC) perform a societal cost-benefit evaluation of California's Net Energy Metering Program.

Rooftop solar generates huge benefits for Californians such as myself. Thanks to policies like net metering, schools are saving money, the air is cleaner, and tens of thousands of Californians have headed back to work.

We had rooftop solar. After 30 years it needed a new water heater as it had been heating all our water. We haven't replaced it yet and our gas bill has quadrupled!!! This is after my kids have moved out of the house and my husband has passed away. I'm the only one using heated water and believe me there is no way my use of heated water has quadrupled!

I respectfully request that you grant the petition and perform the societal cost-benefit study requested by the petitioners.
Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

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